

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

(Caption of Case)

Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for
Adjustments in Electric Rate Schedules and
Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order

Matter ID# 291568
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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INDUSTRY (Check one)	NATURE OF ACTION (Check all that apply)		
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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief
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**Re: Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Adjustments in Electric
Rate Schedules and Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order
Docket No. 2018-318-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On March 30, 2020, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff (“ORS”) filed a review letter in the above-referenced docket concerning the annual report of Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“DEP” or the “Company”) addressing the Company’s request to terminate further annual reports regarding customer savings resulting from the deployment of Advanced Metering Infrastructure (“AMI”) meters (“ORS Review Letter”).

The Company has considered the ORS Review Letter. DEP will continue providing the annual report as filed on March 2, 2020 to monitor and track all quantifiable associated savings based on the newly installed AMI meters until its next rate case, and the incremental operations and maintenance expenses recorded in the deferral will be offset by the associated savings. Therefore, DEP withdraws its request to terminate the filing of further annual reports. The Company appreciates the Commission’s willingness to previously carry this item over so that it may provide this limited response.

Sincerely,

Heather Shirley Smith

cc: Parties of record (via email)